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FRIDAY, 5 SEPTEMBER, 1919.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W. 1,
5th September, 1919.*

THE MOST EXCELLENT ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

Notice is hereby given that no individual may concurrently hold appointments to both the Military and Civil Divisions of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

(1) In any case in which an individual holding an appointment in one of the Classes of a Division is promoted to a higher Class in the other Division, such promotion is to be regarded as a transfer, and the original appointment consequently lapses; but the date of such original appointment is recorded in the Chancery of the Order. In such a case, in accordance with the Statutes of the Order, the Insignia of the lower Class from which transfer has been made on promotion shall be returned to the Central Chancery of the Orders of Knighthood.

(2) In any case in which an individual holding an appointment in one of the Classes of a

Division is appointed to the same Class of the other Division, such appointment shall be regarded as a transfer from one Division to the other, the date of the transfer being recorded in the Chancery of the Order, but without affecting the date of the original appointment to the Order. In such a case the individual so transferred should have the ribbon of his Insignia altered, the cost of which will be met free of charge to the following extent:—

| | s. | d. |
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| Knights Grand Cross | 4 | 0 |
| Dames Grand Cross | 3 | 6 |
| Knights Commanders, Dames Commanders, and Com- manders | 2 | 0 |
| Officers and Members | 1 | 6 |

The Registrar and Secretary of the Central Chancery is prepared to receive bills from Jewellers up to the above amounts for alterations they have made. These bills must bear the signed authority of the person for whom the alteration is made.

(3) No transfer from the Civil to the Military Division is permissible unless the individual to be transferred is eligible for appointment to the Military Division under Clause 5 of the Statutes of the Order.